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RESPONSE TO NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS

ATTENTION: BOX MISSING PARTS
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Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:


In response to the Notice To File Missing Parts Of Application mailed May 8, 2001,
(copy attached) for the above-identified application, attached is:

- 1) Formal Drawing Transmittal Letter
- 2) Nine sheets of formal drawings.

If any fees are validly required in connection with the filing of this Transmittal, the Commissioner is authorized to charge any additional fees or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 02-4300

Respectfully submitted,

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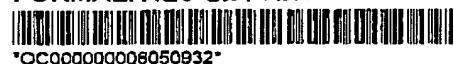
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NOTICE TO FILE CORRECTED APPLICATION PAPERS

Filing Date Granted

This application has been accorded an Application Number and Filing Date. The application, however, is informal since it does not comply with the regulations for the reason(s) indicated below. Applicant is given **TWO MONTHS** from the date of this Notice within which to correct the informalities indicated below. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

The required item(s) identified below must be timely submitted to avoid abandonment:

- Substitute drawings in compliance with 37 CFR 1.84 because:
 - drawing sheets do not have the appropriate margin(s) (see 37 CFR 1.84(g)). Each sheet must include a top margin of at least 2.5 cm. (1 inch), a left side margin of at least 2.5 cm. (1 inch), a right side margin of at least 1.5 cm. (5/8 inch), and a bottom margin of at least 1.0 cm. (3/8 inch);
 - Drawings must be reasonably free from erasures and must be free from alterations, overwritings, interlineations, folds, and copy marks.

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SUPPLEMENTAL FORMAL DRAWING TRANSMITTAL

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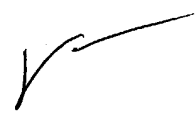
Sir:

Further to Applicant's Submission of Proof of Earlier Filing which was sent earlier today via facsimile, submitted herewith are nine (9) formal drawing sheets which are to replace the originally filed drawing sheets. The enclosed drawings are respectfully submitted to satisfy all formal drawing requirements.

If for any reason the enclosed drawings are not deemed to satisfy all formal drawing requirements, drawing requirement is respectfully requested.

Respectfully submitted,
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